TAMSEN'S TRUMPS TAKEN.

MOTION TO DISMISS THE INDICTMENT DENIED BY THE JUDGE.

THE POINTS UPON WHICH THE DEFENDANT'S

NOT WELL TAKEN, AND THE SHERIFF'S TRIAL MUST GO ON. Judge Allison rendered his decision upon the

motion for dismissal of the indictment against Sheriff Tamsen, in Part II of the Court of General Sessions yesterday afternoon, and denied the mo-The first ground upon which the motion was based stated that if any offence was committed

the defendant, it was an offence against the United States, and the courts of the United States had exclusive jurisdiction to try and punish for such offence, and that the State Court has no jurisdiction of the offence alleged in the indictment. Judge Allison's decision was that there is no constitutional provision nor any principle of law

which prohibits or prevents any State, at the and with the consent of the Federal Government, from imposing upon its Sheriffs the obligation to receive into the jails of the State, and there safely detain, prisoners who have committed offences against the laws of the United States.

He said it was an unsound proposition to say that a State has the power to impose an obligation, but no power to enforce its law imposing

The United States Congress passed a resolution requesting Legislatures to pass laws making it the duty of the keepers of their jails to receive and keep safe all prisoners committed under the authority of the United States and in 1794 the Legislature of the State of New-York acceded to that request.

The second ground urged by the defendant in support of his motion was that, even if the State courts had jurisdiction to punish for such an offence, "still it is only where a Federal prisoner has been duly committed to the jail by a written order of a United States judicial fficer, having power to commit; that the combe in writing, and must be directed to the Marshal, commanding him to convey the prisoner to the jailer, and command ing the jailer to receive the prisoner, and that a copy of the mittimus must be left with the jailer by the Marshal; and, as these prisoners were never committed to the jail by any commitment in writing, or by any officer of the United States

committed, or duly committed, within the meaning of the State statute." The Judge said it was well settled that an officer charged with liability for an escape could not urge irregularity in the exercise of the power of commitment, but can only urge want f power to commit. The question of jurisdic

having power to commit, they were not lawfully

ion in this case was clear. Another ground urged was that the warden and keepers were either officers or employes of the city, and that the defendant is not criminally responsible for either the negligence or criminal acts, unless such acts were committed by his authority or with his knowledge or con-

"The defendant had the power to remove the warden and keepers, and is indicted for omission, that is, in substance, for negligence," said the Judge. "The motion to advise the jury to acquit upon the grounds stated is, therefore, de-

nied."

General Tracy took exception to Judge Allison's ruling, and asked that the District-Attorney be required to elect upon which count of the indictment he proposed to proceed viz. First, the charge that Sheriff Tamsen allowed prisoners to escape, or second, that he kept in office incompetent persons. This request was denied.

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General Tracy moved to strike out all the evidence connected with the shaving of the United States prisoners who escaped, on the ground of irrelevancy, also the evidence regarding the offer to bribe one of the keepers to connive at the prisoners' escape, on the ground that no bribery had been shown. Both of these motions were denied. General Tracy then stated to the jury the theory of the defence. It was their province, he said, to pass upon the facts of the case. It had not been shown, he said, that the Sheriff knew anything about the bringing of pistois into the jail, nor was there any proof to show that Tamsen knew anything about the other matters connected with the escape. The only ones indicted in the case were Germans, and the Sheriff's great crime was that he was Sheriff of New-York, and happened to be a native of Germany. Sheriff Tamsen could not be held responsible for things he did not know, and no man could be convicted of crime unless it was shown that the act was done with criminal intent. Sheriff Tamsen had been advised by his counsel, Judge MacLean, against giving

it was shown that the act was done with criminal intent. Sheriff Tamsen had been advised by his counsel. Judge MacLean, against giving advice to the keepers of the jall, because by so doing he would, in a measure, release them from the responsibility of their bond.

John M. Fox. of No. 597 Lexington-ave., who said he had been Warden of the Ludlow Street Jall under Sheriffs Gorman, Clancy and Sexton, testified that during his administration prisoners who paid board were allowed to eat in the testified that during his administrator process who paid board were allowed to eat in the downstairs dining-room. This privilege had been allowed to Federal prisoners as well. Witness had been Warden of the Blackwell's Island been Warden of the Blackwell's Island had been Warden of the Blackwell's Island benitentiary for twelve years before he became Warden of Ludlow Street Jail. He had been re moved by Sheriff Tamsen. Adjournment was here taken until 11 o'clock to-morrow. Adjournment was

THOSE CROOKS NOT IN TOWN.

ACTING CAPTAIN O'BRIEN'S REPLY TO A SENSA-

TIONAL "FAKE" In an effort to make New-Yorkers believe that th city is being overrun with dangerous burgiars, highwaymen and other thieves, a certain paper opposed to the present city government has been pub lishing the pictures and histories of notorious criminals, and declaring that they are all at liberty in the city. The faces and crimes of those criminals are portrayed in a book which was published by Thomas Byrnes when he was Chief Inspector in charge of the Detective Bureau. A number of the criminals are dead, some are still in prison, some are out of the country and some have reformed. but this paper would have the public believe that they are all hard at work robbing, swindling and Detectives at the Central stealing in the city. took up the published list yesterday, and said that of the criminals named seven are dead, two are in England, three are reformed, five are in prison, one is in California, one is dying and two are under watch on suspicion of having com-

Acting Captain O'Brien, of the Detective Bureau, in speaking yesterday of the criminals, said:

"Crime is rampant because crime is not properly
punished by the magistrates and judges. The law
was amended some time ago giving magistrates the
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power to deal leniently with criminals on their
plea of guilty. This was intended to apply in cases
where men were brought up on their first offence;

CARPETS, RUGS, and FURNITURE At the lowest prices ever offered at COWPERTHWAIT'S,

Instead of such men getting the benefit of it, old burglars and thieves have been let off with four or Instead of such men getting the benefit of it, old burglars and thieves have been let off with four or five months in the penitentiary.

"Of these crooks mentioned as being at large in this city, Joe Elliott, Thomas McCarthy, alias Bridgeport Tommy, Albert Wilson, alias Marshall, William Morgan, alias Williams, David Goldstein, George Mason and Billy Ogle, are dead. Horace Horan, alias Little Horace, is under arrest in Europe. Rufe Minor and George Carson are in Europe. Rufe Minor and George Carson are in Europe. Rufe Minor and George Carson are in Europe. Ike Vall, the confidence man, is doing a year in the penitentiary. Shang Campbell is in prison in Massachusetts. Mark Shinburn is in the Albany Jail. Edward Sturgiss has, according to report, reformed and is in business in Philadelphia. Langdon W. Moore has reformed and is in business at Boston. Frederick Lauther, alias Wilson, is a fugitive from justice. Eddie Miller, alias Dinkelman, is also in prison. Others of the crooks mentioned have not been seen for a long time, and I know are not in this city."

Acting Captain O'Brien also said that Crook McCarthy was killed while committing a burglary four years ago. "Rufe Minor has been in Europe for five years," he added, "Johnny Hope has reformed. Horace Horan is under arrest at Frankfort, Germany. Peter Lane, alias Grand Central Pete," is in California. William Morgan has been dead three years. Joseph Bond, alias "Paper Collar Joe," is in Europe. David Goldstein died in a Malne prison. David Cummings, alias 'Little Dave, 'is out West, and has not been heard of here for several years."

THOUSANDS ARE OUT.

TAILORS REFUSE TO WORK UNDER THE CONDITIONS REQUIRED.

AN ADMISSION THAT THE EMPLOYERS HAVE BROKEN THEIR AGREEMENT UNDER AN

A SETTLEMENT.

It was estimated that about four thousand working tailors of the city and 2,000 in Brooklyn refused to work yesterday because of the notice which was posted in the shops of the National Protective Association, the employers' organization, on Sunday. The tailors declared that the notice was a lockout because it violated the agreement with the Brotherhood of Tailors. Particular stress was laid on these sentences in the notice:

No shop chairman nor walking delegate admitted Any one ten minutes late shall not start work be-fore a quarter of a day.

The proprietor is the only boss of this shop, and e a quarter of a day. he proprietor is the only boss of this shop, and management is under his control only.

The employers declared yesterday that they had not locked out the tailors, but that they had posted the new rules for their own protection, and the refusal of the tailors to go to work under those rules was a strike. B. Witkowski, the secretary of the employers' association, was at the headquarters, No. 200 East Broadway, yesterday, and said: "We admit that we are repudiating our agreement, but we have been forced to do so. Under its working the men be came altogether too insolent. They did what they pleased and nothing more. They would work, perhaps, four days out of the week, and then sue for a full week's wages. We do not mean to reduce the wages in the least. The men who work by the day will be paid proportionately, just the same as if they were working by the week. We simply wish to get our money's worth out of them."

The employers' association shops number about five hundred and fifty in the city. The employers declared that they could stand a strike longer than the employes could.

CAUSE OF THE TROUBLE.

The Executive Committee of the Clothing Contractors' Mutual Protective Association issued the following statement last night:

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The present trouble in the trade is the result of the arrogant actions of our employes and their leaders, who have encouraged them to usurp to themselves all the privileges due to their employer. In many cases they persisted that the employers have only to provide the work and pay for it, but have no right to discharge any incompetent workman at the end of the week, nor be the judges of whether the work was rightly done or not. Instances of such kind have occurred daily, and our people could not stand it any longer. Men who demand mechanics wages have not seen fit to perform work for such wages, and if threatened with dismissal, even at the end of the week, have gone on strike, and we were prevented from fulfilling our obligations to our own employers. Thus strikes and other troubles have been of almost daily occurrence. This has precipitated the present trouble, the result of which cannot as yet be predicted. Many of the employes who are willing to work as workmen should are still at work under our rules, which are stuply that we shall hereafter insist on being the bosses of our shops and carrying on our business as it should be carried on.

B. WITKOWSKI, Secretary. business as it should be carried on. B. WITKOWSKI, Secretary.

The contractors have insisted all along that they are not seeking to drive the tailors back to task-work system. They have denied that they wished to abolish the weekly wage system. Mr. Camp, a member of the contractors' Executive Committee, yesterday, however, acknowledged that this was the true object of the present lockthat this was the true object of the present lock-out. He said: "We cannot get along without the task-work system. The tailors who work for us must make a certain number of coats in a day."

There is an unusual phase in the present trouble between the contractors and their em-ployes. The bosses, not the men, are seeking to make the most of it. The men's leaders said last night that the men were locked out of seventy shops, and that it appeared as if the trouble would soon be over and the men be back to work. The bosses, on the other hand, said there were 200 shops closed, and that there would probably be 400 closed to-day.

CONTINUOUS MASS-MEETING HELD.

A continuous mass-meeting of the tailors was held in Walhalla Hall yesterday. Harry White, general organizer of the United Garment Workers of America, with which the Brotherhood of Tallors is affiliated, said: "There are seventy shops out. The proprietors of the other shops have refused to obey the orders of the contractors' association." In a speech made at the meeting, Mr. White hinted at a general strike coming, when all the tailors and garment workers would refuse to work for any contractors. The manufacturers, who now employ the contractors, would have to hire the people and provide good workshops. He said that if all the 550 contractors in this city closed their shops and broke their agreement with the Brotherhood of Tailors, the Brotherhood would be \$250,000 richer. The contractors would lose this amount by forfeiting the bonds which they are now under.

Herman Robinson, secretary of the Brotherhood of Tailors, said last night: "Up to a late

hood of Tailors, said last night: "Up to a late hour we find that the lo kout has not extended and we hardly think that it will extend, because there is no dissatisfaction in the ranks of the contractors. We are making an investigation Our business agents have travelled through the contractors. We are making an investigation our business agents have travelled through the various districts where the shops are located and failed to find in any of the shops visited such notices posted up as those issued by the Contractors' Association. The owners of the shops told them that they would not post up such notices, as they did not want their men to stop work. We find the shops in the best of working order. Several of the seventy contractors who did close their shops now see that they were deceived by the lealers of the association and they have already applied to us to send back their men. They appeared before the Brother hood's Executive Committee to-night. We think that the majority of the men will return to the majority of the men will return to

work to-morrow."

Secretary Robinson showed the reporter a sample contract and bond of those made with the contractors. He had several hundred of these documents locked up in his safe. The contract referred to was one which the Brotherhood of Tailors has with B Drieson, vice-president of the Contractors Association. Mr. Drieson and is under dent of the Contractors Association and is under son employs about thirty tailors and is under 1400 bonds to keep his agreement with the Brotherhood. By the terms of the agreement he is to employ only union tailors on the weekly wage system. The Brotherhood holds the bonds of over five hundred contractors.

The tailors will hold a mass-meeting in Cooper Union to-morrow night, at which several of the labor leaders in attendance at the convention American Federation of Labor have

ABSOLUTE POWER.

From the Chicago Evening Post. "I suppose you expect to be President some day, Willie?" said the caller, pleasantly.
"Not much," replied Willie promptly.
"What!" exclaimed the visitor in astonishment.
"Think what a great man the President is, and how great his power."

how great his power," explained his mother, but 1 guess he doesn't think the President has enough of it."

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"An, perhaps you'd like to be an autocrat like the Czar of Russia," suggested the caller.
"Nix," returned Willie emphatically.
"He has heard about the trouble that the Czar has in keeping out of the way of bombs," said the mother.

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THE CONCERTED MOVEMENT FOR GOOD ROADS.

PLANS OF THE RIVERSIDE WHEELMEN-NEW IDEAS IN BICYCLES.

Isaac B. Potter, the Chief Consul of this State for the League of American Wheelmen, is enthusiastic about the chances for better roads in this part of the country. Assemblyman Higbie, who is working with Mr. Potter in drawing up a suitable highway bill, has gone up the State to get the opinions of certain road experts on the subject, and he continue his research further and visit the West. The Chief Consul desires to have a big dinner, to which many prominent people will be invited to eat and talk of good roads. His idea is heartly commended

The Riverside Wheelmen are preparing for a live ly winter campaign indoors, and one of their members has already been placed as the scratch man for the indoor meetings by Handicapper Batchelder. Goodman is the rider, and his work on the floor so far this winter has been the best seen hereabouts. At the clubbouse to-night the Century Wheelmen will present the Riversides the banner won at the century run held by the Centurys. On New-Year's Eve the Riverside riders will have their annual midnight run, no matter what the state of the weather may be

One of the new ideas is a patented sprocket ar rangement, and with it, as with all new things, wonders are promised. It is asserted that wit this arrangement a wheel geared to eighty-four will be as easy to ride as the Sixty-eight-geared wheel in use at present. It is said that the front sprocket will revolve twice while the pedals are making one revolution.

The Greenwich Wheelmen will have their annual election at the clubhouse, at No. 309 West Fourthst., to-night. There is an independent list of candidates in the field, and the election will be a lively

Samuel Brock, the popular Class A rider of the Liberty Wheelmen, is thinking seriously of making an application to Chairman Gideon, of the Racing Board, to be transferred to Class B. There are several other Class A riders who will be transferred before long, and who will not relish the change

A veteran wheelman who can be seen on the Cycle Path in Brooklyn every clear day has made a little implement for steadying the front wheel of his machine. It is a tiny arrangement, fascened near the handlebars, and by touching a spring the handlebars are made rigid, and he can ride along without touching the bars. He says that it rests his arms and enables him to sit up straight.

EASTERN LEAGUE MEETING. MOST OF THE TIME TAKEN UP IN DISCUSSING THE NATIONAL AGREEMENT.

The first day's session of the Eastern Baseball League was held at the Fifth Avenue Hotel yes-terday. Much of the time was spent in discussing the National agreement, which is supposed to protest the smaller baseball associations from the rapacious National League.

The meeting of the Board of Directors was held in the morning, when routine business was disposed of, and the championship was awarded to the Springfield Club. Whether the League will ac-cept the Steinhart cup, which is similar to the cept the Stemmart cup, which is similar to the Temple Cup, in the National League, will be de-termined to-day. The report that the Scranton club was in financial difficulties was denied, and the circuit next year will be the same as it was last season. The club will secure new grounds, and expressly said that the Legislature alone posbuild new stands, and the grounds will be laid sessed. Charles B. Walker, a Democrat, subse out for general athletics, including a football field and a bicycle track.

A committee of three was appointed, consisting of Messra. Bogert, Draper and Kuntzsch, to make

and Shean were already at its meeting in January fore the National Board at its meeting in January. The club-owners do not want their players drafted, as was done last season by the Louisville and Washington clubs. They argue that if a National League club drafts a player sixty days is plenty of time to wait to find out whether the big league wants to sign him or not. They want no more Minnehan-De Monteville cases.

The delegates present were as follows: P. T. Powers, president; James Franklin and John Rowe, of Buffalo; John C. Chapman, of Toronto; Charles Englert and C. A. Leimgruber, of Rochester, George N. Kuntzsch, of Syracuse; W. P. Simpson, T. K. Brooks and W. H. McDermott, of Scranton; E. T. Bogert, L. W. Long and C. W. Tammany, of Wilkesbarre; C. T. Shean, Thomas E. Burns and I. E. Sanborn, of Springfield, and W. H. Draper, E. A. Johnson and W. J. Murray, of Providence, The New-York club yesterday presented to Huyler Westerveit, the pitcher, a contract for next season, which that player returned to the local club unsigned. Westerveit says that he was offered the same salary that he refused to sign for last spring. The Eastern League men last night at the American Theatre witnessed the performance of "A Runaway Colt" in which Adrian C. Anson, the captain of the Chicago club, is "playing."

PROFESSOR HURT IN A FOOTBALL GAME. Lafayette, Ind., Dec. 16.—The professors of Purtion, "Is football a dangerous sport?" Saturday afternoon the seniors and eleven members of the faculty played a game of football. Before it was half over Professor Michael J. Golden, of the fac-uity team, was carried off the field with a broken ankle. Up to this year the members of the faculty were content with playing seniors a game of baseball in the spring. But this year it was decided to try the mettle of the seniors in football. cided to try the mettle of the seniors in football. It all went well until Moraweck, the senior full-back, secured the ball and broke through the line. He was making a great run, with the eleven men of the faculty after him, and he was just turning around to smile at his friends on the bleathers when Professor Golden grabbed him, and both went to the ground. The professor will be laid up for four or five weeks.

and sparring in the gymnasium. Besides the vande-ville entertainment there was an exhibition of fancy swimming by Frederick Haimes, and by Miss Net-tle Tralamid, wrestling exhibition, John Yocum and James De Forest feats on the flying ring by Mile. Zoe and by A. De Young, Mac Levy, and Anthony, Barker in exhibitions of strength James C. De Forest, exhibition of baton juggling, feneing by Regis Senhe and Louis R. Senac, boxing bouts be-tween Stephen O'Donnell and Charles McCoy; wrestling bout, Thomas Ward and George A. Salo-mon; punching the bag, by Charles McCoy and James C. De Forest.

PITZSIMMONS AND MAHER MATCHED. Houston, Tex., Dec. 16.—"Dan" A. Stuart, of Dallas, president of the Florida Athletic Club, arrived here this morning, having just returned from a trip to New York, where he made an effort to induce Corbett to fight Fitzsimmons, who, with Julian and his family, has been in this city for Julian and his family, has been in this city for several weeks. Being unsuccessful in this. Stuart obtained the signature of J. J. Quinn, manager of Peter Maher, on whom Corbett has bestowed the championship, for a finish fight with Fitzsimmons for February 14, near El Paso, Texas, for a purse of \$10.000. Julian, Fitzsimmons's manager, objected to the time and purse when W. K. Wheeloek, Stuart's agent, was here a few days ago, but changed his mind after a conference with Stuart at the Lawlor Hotel this morning. The party went out in the Gulf of Mexico in a tugboat and the articles were signed there as signing them in this articles were signed there, as signing them in the State would jeopardize the liberty of the partic

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IN THE CYCLING WORLD.

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WHE WEATHER NOT GOOD FOR SKATING. The more moderate weather vesterday was rewith anything but a grateful spirit by the lovers of skating, as they realized that the ice, particularly that on the lakes in Central and Prospect parks, could notwithstand such weather. There was good ice to be found on the shoal ponds in the suburbs, but the warmer temperature, and bright sun played havor with even the ice lakes in Van Cortlandt Park, and little skating was done there yesterday in consequence. It was said last night that there would be skating

It was said last night that there would be skating at Van Cortlandt Park to-day unless the weather continued to get warmer. The ice was badly cut up on Sunday afternoon, and the surface will be rather rough. Conservatory Lake, in Central Park, was thrown open to the curiers yesterday, and the followers of the lively Scotch game passed an exciting afternoon in active practice for the coming curing matches. The members of the Caledonian Club were out in force.

In Brooklyn the would-be skaters looked longingly at the lakes in Prospect Park, but there will be no sport on those lakes unless it turns much colder than it has been for the last two days. There was good sport to be had at the Cypress Hill pond, and there was a large crowd at the Steamer, in Faitbush. The Marguerite and Indian ponds, in New-Utrecht, were crowded during the day.

DOMINO MAY GO ABROAD. James R. Keene, it is reported, intends to ship Domino and four yearlings to England in charge of Major Wynn. The horses are to be trained at Newmarket by Hayhoe, the well-known English trainer.

AFTER THE SEAWANHAKA CUP. Hamilton, Ont., Dec. 16.-The Lake Skiff Salling Association has decided to adopt a special class for fifteen-footers, the object being to select a boat to challenge for the Seawanhaka Corinthian Yacht Club Challenge cup.

STATE VOTE CANVASSED.

OFFICIAL FIGURES OF THE FALL ELECTION.

THE BOARD OF CANVASSERS REFUSES TIFICATE TO PETER H. M'NULTY AS SENATOR-ELECT FROM BROOKLYN.

Albany, Nov. 16 (Special).-The State Board of Canvassers met to-day, Controller Roberts, State Treasurer Colvin and State Engineer Adams being present, and canvassed the State election returns

pay any attention to a petition pointing out the ineligibility of Peter H. McNulty, the Democratic candidate for Senator in Brooklyn, who was elected over James Taylor, Republican. It will be remembered that the Democratic State Board of Convassers in 1891-Frank Rice John Bogart, Edward Wemple, Charles F. Tabor and Elliot Danforth-received a protest against Franklin D. Sherwood, Republican, who had a majority of 1,700 votes in the Steuben district, on the ground of ineligibility, and would not issue a certificate of election to him, thus assuming powers which the Constitution quently got Sherwood's seat by the action of a fraudulent Democratic majority in the Legis-

"We have only judicial powers," said Con troller Roberts, when Mr. Taylor's protest against granting a certificate to McNulty was read to-day, "and, therefore, we must grant the certificate of election to the man who, on the face of the returns, has the most votes. I move that we declare all the candidates for Senator who had the most votes elected."

Treasurer Colvin and State Engineer Adams concurred in this view, and thus McNulty got

was what took place in regard to the vote on the proposition to spend \$9,000,000 in improving the State canals. There were 599,770 votes for this proposition and 322,884 against it. When was what took place in regard to the vote on this vote had been canvassed, Controller Rob erts said: "I shall advertise to-morrow morning in the leading newspapers of the country for bids for \$2,000,000 in canal bonds." Then, turn can get to work at once on this improvement.

Mr. Adams smiled and said: "I think we shall expend over \$1,000,000 in the improvement of the canals before the opening of navigation in the

The canvass showed that the Populists ceased to be a party in this State, not having polled 1

to be a party in this State, not having polled 1 per cent, of the total vote. Their whole vote for Secretary of State was only 6.916, whereas 1.180.021 hallots were cast for that office.

"I am glad one of their side shows is gone," said Mr. Adams, "and I hope others will follow, I think the limit of votes necessary to nominate a State ticket should be raised.

"The Populist Party next year can have its State ticket printed only by obtaining 3,000 signatures to a nominating certificate, and it is probable that this requirement will be increased to 6,000, which would be nearly equal to the number of votes the organization polled in November. vember.
The total vote for the various State candidates

and on the canal proposition was as follows: SECRETARY OF STATE.

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 Ward
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 English
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 6.862
 CANAL APPROPRIATION.

....500 T70 Against ... The Populists withdrew their candidate for Attorney-General, so that there was no vote to announce for their party for this office.

CHARGES AGAINST JAIL OFFICERS. * Charles H. Farrell, who escaped from the Queens captured recently, appeared before Judge Garretson to the judge, he said, that the keeper of the county jail and the Sheriff of Queens County had pernitted him to leave, and that he did not escape. He further said that Under-Sheriff Baker had allowed him at one time to go to his home in New-York Clay and remain over night. He asked, in view of this alleged fact, that he be permitted to go before the Grand Jury to make a statement, as he had been indicted for escaping from prison. This

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"We'll, the'e are always some drawbacks to positions of great power, Willie," explained the caller, pleasantly.
Willie shook his head.
"When it comes to beln' a big man," he said, "an' havin' people knuckle down to you an' all that I'd ruther be janitor of this flat building that I'd ruther be janitor of this flat building than be Czar of ten Russias."

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Under-Sheriff Baker characterized Farrell's statement as a tissue of falsehoods, and told the reporter that there were a numbers in the jail at the present time who would testify to Farrell's duplicity. He took the reporter link the jail, and there saw two prisoners, Charles W. Hicks and William C. Croly. Each of these men declared that Farrell had said many the said, "an' havin' people knuckle down to you an' all that I'd ruther be janitor of this flat building that I'd ruther be janitor of this flat building that I'd ruther be janitor of this flat building that I'd ruther be janitor of this flat building that I'd ruther be janitor of this flat building that I'd ruther be janitor of this flat building that I'd ruther be janitor of this flat building that I'd ruther be janitor of this flat building that I'd ruther be janitor of this flat building that I'd ruther be janitor of this flat building that I'd ruther be janitor of this flat building that I'd ruther be janitor of this flat building that I'd ruther be janitor of this flat building that I'd ruther be janitor of this flat building that I'd ruther be janitor of thi

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The number of hotel arrivals was about up to the average yesterday and nothing more. Better things looked for to-day, and in fact for the rest of

the week: ALBEMARLE.
S. Hill & wife, Boston.
B. Sexton & wife, Hyde

J. B. Filley, Cetawa.
A. J. Pilkin, Schenectady,
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BREVOORT.
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Newport,
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C. T. Grilley, Roston,

F. Frick, Haltimore, GRAND, M. Anderson & wife, W. J. O'Reilly, Altoona, H. Blasham, Paris, F. F. Taff, Boston, Lathrop & wife, Madi-W. A. Mesre, Binghamton, N. J. Condon & wife, Knox

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as he does not give the names of the suspended mem-

ber while making the trade. President Baker said he would lay the whole matter before the Board of Directors. Mr. Limblom is said to be filling orders for J. R. Willard, who was suspended from the board several months ago.

THE NEW MINING EXCHANGE.

TO BE INCORPORATED AT \$10,000-OFFICERS AND DIRECTORS-MEN INTERESTED IN THE

The papers for the incorporation of the New-York Mining Exchange were forwarded to Albany yesterday. The capital stock is to be \$10,000, divided into 1,000 shares of \$10 each. The temporary offices are to be at No. 27 Pine-st. The incorporators are Dr. Henry A. Mott. Edwin A. Beers, James H. Kerr and Edward H. Williams. The directors for the first year are to be Isham B. Porter. Howard Scrymser. Henry A. Mott. Edwin A. Beers, W. C. Nicol and Edward H. Williams. The number of directors may be increased to infireen. James H. Kerr is to be treasurer, and Ogden B. Bell secretary pro tem. Memberships are to be first sold at \$250. The price is to be raised later to \$50. It is announced that among those who will give active support to the exchange are Hamilton Dission, of Philadelphia, Mr. Cheney, of the Baldwin Locomotive Works. W. C. Childs and W. B. Cravath, of the Hearst estate, and Harrison Wagner, of Waller & Wagner. offices are to be at No. 27 Pine-st. The incorpo

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LINDBLOM ASKS FOR A RULING.
Chicago, Dec. 16.—Robert Lindblom, a prominent broker upon the Board of Trade, has written a letter to President W. T. Baker, in which he asks for a ruling on whether a broker may not do business for suspended members or anybody else just as long as he does not give the names of the suspended mem-